Livestock market and auction news

Hay Markets

Regional Hay

January 2, 1979 (All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealer at the farm and per ton.) .

Hay and Straw slow, steady to \$5 lower.

Alfalfa 55.00-75.00; Mixed hay 50.00-65.00; Timothy hay 40.00-60.00; Straw 60.00-70.00; Mulch 25.00-35.00.

Green Dragon

Ephrata, Pa. December 29, 1978

Prices per ton: 102 Loads Hay and 32

Loads Straw. Alfalfa 52.00-82, individual at 96.00; Timothy 41.00-69.00; Mixed hay 50.00-68.00, individual 79.00, some down to 31.00; Ear Corn 67.00-79.00.

Vintage Hay

Thurs., January 4, 1979 Paradise, Pa.

One load alfalfa 101: mixed hay 62-79; timothy 59-62; straw 79; stubble hay 36; ear corn 58.

Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wed., January 3, 1979 Total 70 loads. All prices per ton.

Mixed hay 38-69; alfalfa 56-100; timothy 44-65; alfalfa and orchard grass, 2 loads 66, 92; straw 58-72; corn 63-65; corn fodder, 1 load 45; firewood 22-25.

New Holland Hay

New Holland Sales Stables January 1, 1979

Total 52 loads. Alfalfa 49-75; timothy, 1 load 65; mixed hay 39-70; corn, 2 loads 60, 65; straw 62-82; corn fodder, 1 load 32; firewood 20-30.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

January 3, 1979

Prices light type hens held about steady. Farm offerings adequate for a fair processor interest. Advance offerings lighter than expected in some quarters. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fairly good call. Prices paid at farm:

Light type hens 12-13. mostly 121/2-13 FOB Plant 15-16, mostly 15 Heavy type hens TFEWR

New Holland Horse

New Holland Sales Stables Monday, January 1, 1979

Reported receipts of 282 head of horses, mules, and ponies. Market stronger than two weeks ago.

Local driving horses 250-625; riding horses 250-375; better horses 400-600; lightweight killers 275-350; heavyweight killers 375-575; mare ponies 25-65; colts 10-25; geldings 25-60; larger ponies 100-210.

Oklahoma Cattle

January 4, 1979 Thursday Feeder Cattle Auction & Weekly Summary Estimated receipts 2400 Same day last week 646

ACTIVE: Feeder steers under 700 lbs. and feeder heifers 2.00-4.00 higher, instances 5.00 higher; feeder steers over 700 lbs. steady to firm; quality receipts above last two weeks consisting mainly of choice 500-750 lb. feeder steers and 300-650 lb. feeder heifers; moderated attendance of buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 300-500 lb. 84.50-92.00, two small lots 351-422 lb. 95.00; part load 367 lb. 97.50; 500-600 lb. 75.00-81.50, mostly 76.00-80.00; 600-700 lb. 700-800 68.75-76.50; 1b. 66.00-70.25; 800-920 lb. 62.00-66.00, part load 824 lb. 67.05; mixed good and choice 300-500 lb. 76.75-83.00; 500-600 lb. 70.00-75.00; few 600-750 lb. 65.00-67.50; few good 500-700 1b. 60.00-65.00; few good 700-930 lb. holstein steers 56.00-58.00.

HEIFERS: FEEDER Choice 300-400 lb. 72.00-77.00, part load and small lot 328-340 lb. 83.10-84.25; 400-500 1b. 70.00-75.00; 500-600 1b. 67.00-70.25; 600-700 lb. 64.25-68.50; small lot 736 lb. 63.80; mixed good and choice 300-500 lb. 65.00-69.50; 500-700 lb. 60.25-65.00; few good 500-700 lb. 59.00-62.25.

FOR THE WEEK: Compared to late last week feeder steers under 700 lbs.

and feeder heifers 2.00-4.00 higher, instances 5.00 higher, feeder steers over 700 lbs. steady to firm; slaughter cows closed 2.00-3.00 higher, late sales utility and commercial 2-3 cutter 1-3 46.00-50.75, 42.25-45.00; bulls closed 1.00-2.00; higher, late sales yg 1-2 1000-1500 lb. 54,00-58.90; salable receipts curtailed this holiday shortened period due to weather condihazardous tions, total receipts near 4200 head, compared to 1841 head the holiday shortened period last week and 15,001 head the same week a year ago. Cows and bulls near 14 per cent of cattle receipts, feeders near 86 per cent of the total.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Joliet Cattle

January 4, 1979 WEEKLY CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday salable receipts 3900; 4 days last week 5885; same period last year 7464. Trading moderate for 'the week. **Slaughter Steers and Heifers** closed the week 50 higher than Wednesday of last week. Cows closed the week 1.00-2.00 higher than Friday of last week.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed high Choice and Prime 3-4, few 5, 1150-1300 lbs. 57.50-58.00. 1 load YG 4-5 1297 lbs. 56.50. Choice 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. 56.50-57.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1250 lbs. 55.50-56,50.

Few mixed Good and Choice Holsteins 1450 lbs. 52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 few 5, 950-1100 lbs. 56.50-57.00. 2 load string 4-5 1100 lbs. 55.50. Choice 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 55.75-56.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 54.75-55.75. 1 load of Good 2-3 1265 lbs. 54.00.

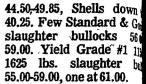
COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3" 49.00-50.00. A few high yielding Utility 51.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Lebanon Valley Auction

Fredericksburg, Pa. January 2, 1979

CATTLE 165. Good slaughter steers 55.50-58.00, one at 60.25, Standard 54.00-56.00. One Standard slaughter heifer at 53.25. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 48.50-53.50, couple to 53.85, Cutters 49.00-53.00, Canner & Low Cutter

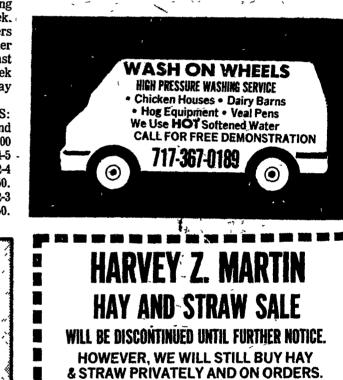


CALVES 195. Few Chow vealers 92.00-101.00, Good 82.00-90.00, Standard God 90-110 lbs. 77.00-80.00, 85 lbs. 74.00-78.00, Utility 100 lbs. 45.00-70.00. Far calves, holstein bulls 901 lbs. 81.00-107.00; holste heifers 85-130 lbs. 770 125.00, couple to 141.00.

HOGS 245. US No. 1-2 20 240 lbs. barrows & gilts 543 55.50, No. 1-3 195-240 lb 53.00-54.60, No. 2-3 260-2 lbs. 49.85-53.25. US No 18 -300-475 lbs. sows 43.00-45 25 No. 2-3 500-590 Ibs. 38 0 41.75. Few Boars 35.00-42.00

FEEDER PIGS 37. US N 1-3 20-42 lbs. feeder pu 96.00-109.00 cwt. SHEEP 4. Few Slaught

ewes 32.50-37.00. Market courtesy of PDA



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